The peach crop is killed. Mrs. Stanhope is some better.

Several of our stores are putting in passenger elevators. The Centralia Guard has about

given up the new railroad. Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Cunningham, South Mexico, a son.

Joseph and Charles Murray are each keeping a hotel in California. County Judge of the Eastern Dis- death. Hospitals and private

of Vandalia are preparing to build in that town

B. F. Brothers and family, of this county, have moved to Washington Territory to reside. Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Martin, for-

Fort Madison, Iowa, to reside. Charles Brown, formerly in the boot and shoe business in this city. is at Perry, Mo., not expected to live.

C. H. Cox and Miss Emily ried in Justice Winscott's office Thursday.

paying \$19,800 cash. Theodore Williams, a son of

Jos. Williams of the post-office, broke his collar bone Thursday evening by falling over a barrel. G. T. Leeper, of Concord, who

the Ferris House a few nights ago, has recovered so as to return home. James W. Tate, for 20 years treasurer of Kentucky, has migrat-

the Odd Fellow order in Missouri for the Court of Appeals, Eastern parents at this place he moved to trict.

some good movers.

W. R. Carter has moved his fine trotting stock out to the track Jack Haley, one of the best horsemen in the State, has charge of Carter's crack string.

Mrs. Alfred Willis, a highlyesteemed lady, of Centralia, aged 56 years, died at her home there Fricay at 5 o'clock of pneumonia after a brief illness.

A varnish can exploded Wade's furniture establishment Friday. A valuable piece furniture was ruined before the fire could be extinguished.

An effort is being made to furnish the seamen of our navy stronger tobacco than they have had heretofore. Will our feeble war ships be able to stand the strain incident to this innovation?

stable is headquarters for mule stead sold a horse for \$125. buyers and sellers. A good bunch was sold there yesterday. "Mac" is a clever gentleman and is building up a good trade. Give him a

Frank Moydel, the farmer charged with stealing agricultural imthe grand jury.

E. H. Carter has purchased W. P. Hooton's book and news stand in the Ringo building, and will took charge on Monday. Carter is a clever, active and go-ahead young business man, and will do a good business.

Married, at the residence of the bride's mother 8 miles north of Wellsville, Wednesday morning the 21, inst, by Rev. R. E. McQuie, Geo. H. Dunford, of Montgomery county, and Miss Maggie Sturgeon, of Audrain county.

The Board of Directors, the president, general manager and chief engineer of the Chicago, Jefferson City, Girard & El Paso railroad, which is to connect with the Alton at Jefferson, will visit Chicago early next month to confer with the capitalists who are interested Court to-day Slagle was convicted in the project.

ing the goods and each were sentenced to two years in the Married, at the residence of Mrs. M. E. Wells, West Liberty street, this city, on Wednesday, March 14, at 11 o'clock a. m., Mr. Walker D. Hoke, and Miss Mollie J. Carter Elder S. M. Martin officiating Mr. Hoke is one of Lincoln county's best young men: Miss Carter one of Audrain's purest daughters. Mr. and Mrs. Hoke left for St. Louis on the 1:45 train.

Black, near Auxvasse, on account of a strange disease with which they have been suffering. On the extermination. The millions of Minnesota.

FAILURE of CROPS is an unknown a pest that the Government has otfered a reward of \$250,000 for their lands, prices, etc., aent free. Address C. H. warms place a score more are also afflicted and will of necessity be killed. The disease has puzzled the farmers of that part of the county but it is now generally thought to be the result of eating hay containing ergot. As the disease progresses the animal loses its hind lest and nothing is left but to kill bers are probably studying Volamers afflicted and will of necessity be the fields have all come from four ancestors taken to that country from England in 1847.

Why work POR ANOTHER, or on small working on a living from such high-priced or heavily-nort-gazed farm? Why work on rented land? Why most secure at encessors of the low-priced but very fertile and well located lands adjacent to relivous now to be obtained by those going to Northern Dakota and Minnesota, where you can make a larger possible to the index of the low-priced but very fertile and well located lands adjacent to relivous now occupy? Why nos some of the low-priced but very fertile and well located lands adjacent to relivous now occupy? Why nos some of the low-priced but very fertile and well located lands adjacent to relivous now occupy? Why nos some of the low-priced but very fertile and well located lands adjacent to relivous now occupy? Why nos some of the low-priced but very fertile and well located lands adjacent to relivous now occupy? Why nos some of the low-priced but very fertile and well located lands adjacent to relivous now to be obtained by those going to Northern Dakota and Minnesota, where you can make a larger now some of the low-priced but very fertile and well located lands adjacent to relivous now to be obtained by those going to Northern Dakota and Minnesota, where you can make a larger now some of the low-priced but very fertile and well located lands adjacent to relivous now to be obtained by those going to Northern Dakota and Minnesota, where you can make a larger now some of the low-priced but very fertile and well located lands adjacent to relivous now to be obtained by those going to Northern Dakota and Minnesota, where you can make a larger now som ce a score more are also them which are now devastating progresses the animal loses its hind appeared from politics. Its mem-set and nothing is left but to kill bers are probably studying Vola-

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ONE HUNDRED BURNED.

The Oporto Theater Horror Tuesday Night-Eighty Bodies

LISBON, March 22.-Tuesday night's appalling fire at the Baguet Theater, in Oporto, Portugal, repeats the familiar history of fatal fires in theaters. The actual loss of life cannot be known for some days. The fire originated in a gas explosion while a performance was in progress. The inflammable Jim Robinson will ride with material instantly caught fire, pro-Sells Brothers the coming season. ducing wild panic among the closely packed spectators.

The debris is surrounded by weeping throngs whose relatives W. W. Cornett is a candidate for were asphyxiated or burned to eouses are filled with victims Gus Atkinson will go on the road severely injured-many fatally-in with Forepaugh's circus, in a few the fierce struggle to reach the street. Some who succeeded in The M. E. Church, South, folks getting out safely, died afterward from vomiting blood. Frightened people leaped from windows, and were killed by the fall. Only a

partial search of the auditorium and boxes has been made yet. At 9 o'clock last night dispatches received here-200 miles from merly of this city, have gone to Oporto-say that the police have removed the remains of eighty bodies, and that the work of searching the ruins has only just begun.

Hon. W. H. Kennan. Hon. W. H. Kennan, of Mexico. is registered at the Laclede. He Barnes, of Benton City, were mar-said: "Speaking for Audrain county, I hear more expressions

for Francis for Governor than for

Tom W. Carter, formerly of this any other candidate. But many of city, has purchased a fine Boulevard our people, in my opinion, have not site on Lindell Avenue, St. Louis, fully made up their minds yet since to record the death of another of fell from a third story window of

ed leaving an aching void that it for State Auditor; I will support for a number of years, and in their ville on Sunday evenings is for will require \$150,000 to \$200,000 to John; he's a good man, and I hope later years he brought them to some of the Mexico boys. The fifty-third anniversary of Strother, of Saline, has a following cord now stands. Having lost his

will be celebrated in Vandalia June district-there's another man I'm Audrain county. Deceased had 23, by lodges from all over the dis- for. And Jno. W. Booth has many distinguished himself for a life-long The boys are getting their trot- I should also include Judge Bar- independence, fraternal consistence it is now called, has been revived. ters in shape for spring driving, clay in the same category. My and the truth. He lived a life of The rumor that the division is to The Boulevard will be fixed up in county voted for Local Option yes- temperance and morality and was leave Slater, and that soon, seems fine style shortly. Mexico boasts terday, and I think it went dry. I a faithful member of the Mission- well founded this time, however, should have cast my vote for Local

Option had I been at home." STRINGTOWN NEWS.

Mrs. Jennie Jesse.

There will be very little change in our neighborhood this spring. farm and gone to Kansas.

Roy Jesse is improving.

week. Prof. J. E. Jesse is teacher. Frand Armistead bought of J. M. Bradley a farm for \$375.

Willie and James Jesse have all R. W. McClelland's Central purchased horses. Frank Armi-

Fenton and Effie. SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 22 .-Fenton Cox and Effic Ellis left quiem over the dust of our departlast night for St. Louis over the Frisco Road. They were accom panied to the depot by Police Officer Palmer, the boy expressing a plements from Mrs. Rudolph fear that some one might attempt Schrecker, had a hearing before to injure them. Effic Ellis has Judge Bass yesterday. He was changed in her determination not bound over to await the action of to prosecute Dr. Cox and states she will push the case to the end. The criminal prosecution will be followed by a damage suit for \$30, 000 and a subscription paper to which ten of Springfield's most prominent citizens have already at- be sold by a druggist on a physitached their names, will be circu- cian's prescription. No such idi-

> nent counsel to assist her. Their Honeymoon Ended. MOBERLY, Mo., March 22 .- A few weeks ago one John Slagle, white, and a negro girl named Ella Vaughan, went from Macon City to Iowa and were there married. Just before leaving this State Slagle stole a watch from a man Moberly to spend their honeymoon and were arrested and placed in jail, the stolen watch being found in the dusky Ella's posses
> TOCK in Minnysota - From an exclusive grain country, Minnesota is being rapidly transformed into the fluest stock and darry state in the Union. Cheap lands still obtainable, convenient to the fluest stock and darry state in the Union. Cheap lands still obtainable, convenient to the fluest stock and placed in the dusky Ella's possesfound in the dusky Ella's possesnear Sturgeon. They came to sion. In the Randolph Circuit of the larceny and Ella of conceal-

penitentiary. Sheriff Radiff left at once for Jefferson City with the To Exterminate the Rabbits. NEW YORK, March 22.-Eugene Lynn Spotts, of this city, left for Australia this morning, via Chicago and San Francisco. He goes on a commission from the Premier of New South Wales, in the hope of being able to exterminate the rab-Forty head of fine Hereford cat- being able to exterminate the rab-

Sore Eyes

The eyes are always in sympathy with the body, and afford an excellent index of its condition. When the eyes become weak, and the lids inflamed and sore, it is an evidence that the system has become disordered by Scrafula, for which Ayer's Sarsuparilla is the best known remedy.

Scrofula, which produced a painful in-floatnation in my eyes, caused me much suffering for a number of years. By the advice of a physician I commenced taking Aver's Sarsaparitia. After using this medicine a short time I was completely Cured.

My eyes are now in a splendid condition, and I am as well and strong as ever,— Mrs. William Gage, Concord, N. H. For a number of years I was troubled with a humor in my eyes, and was unable to obtain any relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sursaparilla. This medicine has effected a complete cure, and I believe it to be the best of blood purifiers.—C. E. Upton, Nashua, N. II.

From childhood, and until within a few menths, I have been afflicted with Weak and Sore Eyes. I have used for these complaints, with beneficial results, Ayer's Sarsapartilla, and consider it a great blood purifier. — Mrs. C. Phillips, Glover, Vt.

I suffered for a year with inflamma-tion in my left eye. Three ulcers formed on the ball, depriving me of sight, and causing great pain. After trying many other remedies, to no purpose, I was finally induced to use Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and,

By Taking three bottles of this medicine, have been entirely cured. My sight has been re-stored, and there is no sign of inflamma-tion, sore, or ulcer in my eye.—Kendal T. Bowen, Sugar Tree Ridge, Ohlo.

My daughter, ten years old, was afflicted with Scrofulous Sore Eyes. During the last two years she never saw light of any kind. Physicians of the highest standing exerted their skill, but with no permanent success. On the recommendation of a exerted their skill, but with no permanent success. On the recommendation of a friend I purchased a bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which my daughter commenced taking. Before she had used the third bottle her sight was restored, and she can now look steadily at a brilliant light withment min. The complete W.E. out pain. Her cure is complete. - W. E. Sutherland, Evangelist, Sheiby City, Ky.

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Obituary. It has become our painful duty the withdrawal of Judge Norton. Audrain's respected citizens, S. M. I was for Norton, but now I am Pulis, of Wilson township, who studying -studying - Secretary of died of softening of the brain, at his State? Oh, yes, our people are for residence in Wilson township. Mr. Rucker first, Capt. Lesueur next Pulis was born in Scott county, and Mike McGrath never. There Kentucky, on the 3rd day of Sept., is little expression as to the pre- 1824, which county at that time ference for Register of Lands. Col. was almost in the wilderness, and fast as Mexico. McCulloch, Gen. Jamison and in his early youth he was brought Capt. Guibor all have their de- by his parents to Marion county, voted adherents in Audrain. John Mo., where he continued to live T. Clarke has a strong following and care for his father and mother to see him nominated. Judge Callaway county, near where Confriends in the Audrain county bar, and unlimited regard for justice,

ary Baptist Church for a number of and a C. & A. man gave a reporter. years, having acted as deacon some very good reasons, last night, in New Hope Church for for the change. Those on the ina long time, at which place he side think Mexico will be the discharged his duty, both sacred lucky town. Rumors of this nature STRINGTOWN, March 22.-Miss and secular, in a manner which re- have been floated so many times Livie Brown is visiting her sister, flects great credit to his memory. here that even the most impulsive His record is clear and unpolluted portion of Mexico's population has Roller Flour, Meal or Feed and his life has been an honor to failed to start at them of late. It his family and his county; there is is to be hoped, though, that there John Bradley has rented his no one to appear in condemnation is something less airy in the pre-Our sick list is growing shorter. actions. It is an irreparable loss gone before. Frank and Merideth Armistead are and nothing but time and eternity almost recovered from the mumps can offer a final compensation. Let after a two months sickness; little us mingle our tears with those of Our school will close in another if possible dispel the sad and sor- be observed wherever circum rowful pangs which hang over them stances will permit. The greatest in their most trying and heart rend- good of tree planting is to offset the ng afflictions. The wife and fam- destruction of forests by re-stock-There has been considerble buy- ily desire to return their sincere ing the denuded regions and doting and selling of horses-Clifton, thanks to the many friends who ting with groves the treeless plains watched over their dear husband and prairies. But in districts and father, and especially those who where plenty of forest growth still comforted him in his last hours on remains the day can be profitably earth, and who have united in

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Judge Ryland was perfectly right in saying that whisky could lated to raise a fund to hire emi- otic embargo would be tolerated in any sensible community.-Kansas City Times.

THERE is talk of organizing a young men's Democratic club in Mexico. We think it a good idea.



The New York Herald, Sept. 21st, 1885, says; "Fa endorse a counterfeit medicine is to leighte the manufacturer and the bayer, and the bayers will soon drop away from the counterfeited medicine that they find worthless. Manufacturers of counterfeit articles full because they had not the experience and apparatus of not the experience and apparatus of the large manufacturer to produc-the same curative results. The large manufacturers have the utmost incentive, while they are projected, to make their meaticine perfect and curative as possible

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If Mexico is not to have a boom

Why Mexico can't have a good

If President Cleveland will be

What Mexico would do without

If Geo. Boomer will not soon

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